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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Examiner's Action mailed on January 21, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire April 21, 2004, the above-identified patent application is amended a second time as follows. Applicant has elected to present the amendment using the revised amendment format set forth in the waiver of 37 CFR 1.121.

<u>AMENDMENT B</u> (37 C.F.R. § 1.111)